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Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits, Applicants wish to amend the captioned application, as follows.

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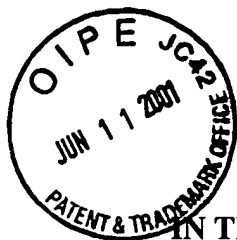
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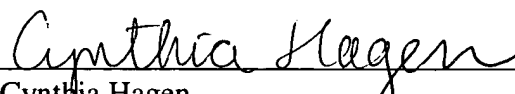
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